

## Message Text

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FM AMCONSUL DHAHRAN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5047

INFO AMEMBASSY SANA NIACT IMMEDIATE

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AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI NIACT IMMEDIATEI

AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA IMMEDIATE

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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y P A R A 2

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OREP (VAN DUSEN, MIKE)

SUBJECT: STAFFDEL VAN DUSEN

REF: (A) STATE 249897, (B) STATE 255716, (C) LONDON 16667

1. CONSULATE GENERAL WELCOMES STAFFDEL TO DHAHRAN; WILL MEET AND ASSIST. HOTEL ROOMS IN DHAHRAN AREA ARE FULLY BOOKED AND CONGEN'S TRANSIENT QUARTERS ALREADY COMMITTED, BUT US TRAINING MISSION (USMTM) HAS RESERVED ROOMS IN ITS VISITORS QUARTERS AT DHAHRAN AIRPORT (APPROX. ONE MILE FROM CONGEN).

2. USMTM PLANNING FULL DAY OF BRIEFINGS AND DISCUSSIONS OCTOBER 28 FOLLOWED BY SAMLL DINNER WITH SEVERAL KNOWLEDGABLE SAUDI OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE. ACTIVITIES ON OCTOBER 29 INCLUDE ARAMCO FHIIANG BRIEFING, MEETINGS WITH US DEFENSE CONTRACTORS, AND LUNCHEON AT CONSUL GENERAL'S RESIDENCE.

3. WE HAVE DELAYED THIS RESPONSE UNTIL WE COULD CONFIRM REASONABLY GOOD FLIGHTS ON TO ABU DHABI. THIS TASK COMPLICATED BY FACT STAFFDELS OWN WASHINGTON-MADE RESERVATIONS (ME 444 MENTIONED REFS A, B AND SV 866 MENTIONED REF C) WERE BOTH NON-EXISTENT ON THOSE DATES. ONLY ALTERNATIVES ON  
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OCTOBER 29 AND 30 INVOLVED FLIGHT FROM DHAHRAN TO MANAMA

WITH FOUR-FIVE HOUR LAYOVERS AWAITING CONNECTING FLIGHTS  
TO ABU DHABI.

4. WE HAVE FORTUNATELY BEEN ABLE TO AVOID LONG DELAY IN  
MANAMA AND CONSEQUENT REDUCED TIME IN ABU DHABI BY PUTTING  
STAFFDEL ON A REGULAR MILITARY FLIGHT TO MANAM EVENING  
OCTOBER 29 PPSTIME TO BOARD GF 339 AT 2010 HOURS FOR  
APPROXIMATELY TWO-HOUR FLIGHT TO ABU DHABI.  
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